

## PITHY NEWS NOTES FROM ALEXANDRIA

Colored Man Assaults Another in Saloon and His Arrest Follows.

Enoch Cook Given \$100 Verdict Over Swann Sisters in Circuit Court.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU, ALEXANDRIA, VA., APRIL 27. Policeman Bell this afternoon arrested John Thomas, colored, on the charge of assaulting another colored man named Abraham McVick. The assault is alleged to have occurred in a saloon in North Royal street this morning. The case will come before Police Justice Cason at Monday morning's session of the police court.

**Funeral of Andrew Ford.** The funeral of Andrew Ford will be held from his late home in Queen street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher, of the First Baptist Church. The burial will be made in the Methodist Protestant Cemetery.

**Circuit Court Doings.** In the circuit court of Alexandria, Judge L. C. Barley presiding, the jury gave Enoch Cook a verdict over Sarah S. and Mary M. Swann for \$100 today. Next Monday Judge Harrison will preside and will hear the case of George D. Hopkins vs. the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon Railway Company.

**Changes of Pastors.** The Rev. J. Gray McAllister, president of Hampden Sidney College, will occupy the pulpit at the Second Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dr. Fisher, of the First Baptist Church, will exchange pulpits with the Rev. C. P. Stealey, of Washington, tomorrow. The Rev. Mr. Stealey will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church here at all the services tomorrow, and the Rev. Dr. Fisher will preach tomorrow at the Northwest Baptist Church in Washington.

At the Second Presbyterian Church, beginning tomorrow and continuing until June 28, the Rev. J. R. Sevier, the pastor, will lecture every Sunday night on the great men of the Old Testament. At St. Mary's Church, the Rev. James Devery, of the Paulist Order, from Brookland, D. C., will occupy the pulpit at the 10:30 o'clock mass and at the vesper service in the evening.

**Notes and Personals.** On Monday evening next John Barrett, of the Bureau of American Republics, will deliver a address before the Cameron Club. He will take for his subject, "American Diplomacy."

A called meeting of Alexander Camp, No. 1155, Lodge, Woodmen of America, will be held at the store of Wall Brothers, in King street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Sophie A. Smith has bought from C. M. Newton a house and lot on the east side of Henry street, between Cameron and King street.

A meeting of the Ministerial Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be held at that church next Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

In the corporation court, Judge Louis C. Barley presiding, today, Enoch W. Nalls entered suit against Nettie L. Nalls, for divorce.

Mrs. Melvin Simpson, nee Jennie Travis, entertained a party of young friends and relatives last night at her home, on South Henry street, at a birthday party. Cards, games, and music were the amusements participated in, followed by a dainty luncheon.

**CHILD STRUCK BY CAR. PICKED UP BY FENDER**

Margaret Martin, the eight-year-old daughter of H. G. Martin, of 2424 Eighteenth street northwest, was struck by a Capital Traction car on Eighteenth street, between Belmont street and Columbia road, yesterday afternoon. The child was picked up by the fender of the car and escaped injury.

## DR. CHANCELLOR DEFENDS WOMEN

Declares They Are Not Inferior to Men in Mental Capabilities.

Dr. William E. Chancellor, superintendent of public schools, delivered an interesting and instructive address last night before the Federation of Women's Clubs of the District of Columbia at the Public Library. It was listened to by a large number of representative club women of the city.

Superintendent Chancellor discussed the differences of opinion by men of letters on hereditary influences. Dr. Chancellor took the view that environment had to do with the making for usefulness of individuals and not prenatal influences. He thought that most people were just what they made themselves.

Discussing the generally accepted proposition that woman is the hereditary inferior of man, he contended it and said that woman was only inferior to man by reason of tradition and not in fact. That to determine this great and grave question judgment must be made as to individuals and not as a class or sex. This he thought applied as strongly to women as it did to the male sex.

Leaving this scientific question the speaker took up the more practical view of things that directly concerned his audience as to the public school system of Washington, its needs and possibilities of improvement. He said that the course of study or curriculum of the Washington schools was all right, and far better than many of the schools of the country, but that it needed organization and administration.

Women as co-workers and architects of the present and future greatness and usefulness of the schools, he thought, was one of the great needs of the public school system of the country and particularly so here. He insisted that women shall form a part of the administration of the schools.

## LAW STUDENTS DEBATE QUESTION OF SUFFRAGE

At the National University Law School last night the question of whether suffrage in the United States should be restricted by educational qualifications was discussed before a large audience. The occasion was that of the third semi-annual debate of the Debating Society of the National University Law School.

The question was argued in the affirmative by J. Frank Burns, of Arizona; Herbert Kimball MacGeary, of South Dakota; and John P. Gardner, of Maryland, while William Chabough, of the District of Columbia; Edward A. Cobby, of Maryland; and C. Frank Newton, of Connecticut, upheld the negative.

Commissioner H. B. F. Macfarland, of the District of Columbia; Solicitor Edwin P. Hanna, of the Navy Department, and Controller of the Currency William Barrett Bidwell acted as judges for the occasion and decided in favor of the negative, awarding first honors to Mr. Cobby and second honors to Mr. Chabough.

## T STREET RESIDENTS OBJECT TO "OLD BLOCKS"

Property owners and residents of the block on T street, between North Capitol and First streets, have sent a protest to the Commissioners against the paving of that block with asphalt blocks, which they term "old alley blocks." They assert that they would much rather have their present worn street than the proposed asphalt block.

C. B. Hunt, engineer of highways, said yesterday that the asphalt block to be used in paving that block were not "old alley blocks" but had been selected as the most suitable paving for that street. He pointed out that the same material has been used to pave Massachusetts avenue just west of Sheridan Circle.

**THREE NEW BUILDINGS.** Snowden Ashford, Building Inspector, issued a permit yesterday to H. Wardman for three three-story brick residences at 1751-53-55 Columbia road, at an estimated cost of \$45,000. A. H. Beers is the architect. Mr. Wardman will erect the buildings.

## EUGENE J. TIGHE IS LAID TO REST

Priest Cites His Loyalty as Example of Christian Life.

Funeral services for Eugene J. Tighe, the veteran Washington newspaper man, were held yesterday afternoon in his home, 182 Irving street, and later in the shrine of the Sacred Heart Church, Fourteenth street. The Rev. Joseph McGee, pastor of the church, officiated at both services and later in Glenwood Cemetery. Acting as pallbearers for Mr. Tighe were John Miller and Henry Ransom, of The Times staff; William W. Richardson and Thomas Harvey, of the Evening Star, and Guy Finney, of the Post.

In his sermon during the church services Father McGee paid a fitting tribute to Mr. Tighe, described his well-known characteristics and held up his loyalty and faith as examples of a Christian life. Miss Mabel Lattin sang "Face to Face" and "Nearer, My God to Thee," and Gounod's "O Divine Redeemer" was sung by Miss Mary E. King, Miss Lattin and Miss King sang "Lead Kindly Light" as the funeral cortege came into the church. Miss Margaret O'Toole was the organist.

## AVOID DESPOTISM OF PUBLIC "BENT"

—Representative Burton

"There is a despotism in every country, and here we are governed by the despotism of public 'bent,'" declared Theodore E. Burton, chairman of the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors, in a speech before the University Club last night.

## SNEEZED SO MUCH HE BURST BLOODVESSEL

MEETTES, Wyo., April 27.—Henry Goodmiller, a Wyoming sheep herder, began to sneeze several days ago, and he sneezed almost uninterruptedly until he fell over dead. The bursting of a blood vessel, caused by the violent attack of sneezing, was the immediate and direct cause of the man's death.

## PROFIT \$70,000 NOW ESTIMATED ON MASONIC FAIR

Three More Days Expected to Complete the Amount.

According to the management last night at the Masonic Fair, and several thousand "everybody's" accepted the invitation to be present. The crush and jam, however, was not so great as at different times during the past two weeks, and in consequence the crowds were enabled to move about and see the various attractions with more freedom and comfort and the speakers put in much better work. Nevertheless, many of the booths presented their customary crowded appearance, among them being the Federal Lodge booth, where the "bee buzzing" apparatus is working, the two paddle booths and the Dancing Palace.

Profit of \$70,000. The smiles of President Smith and Director General Standford were very much in evidence last night, for in spite of the fact that there were no special events, the great and hour-great were there and went away with arms loaded with loot in the shape of groceries, fancy articles and souvenirs. These men are now figuring on at least \$70,000 profit for the latest enterprise in aid of the temple fund. The official statement of Treasurer Sample shows that up to last Friday night the receipts of the present fair have exceeded those of the corresponding fair of 1927 by \$5,634, and the accounting for the tickets is hardly begun. The estimated ticket sales will amount to about \$6,000 which, added to the profits from the booth, will easily aggregate, according to those who know, the sum of \$70,000.

**Bargains Coming.** The wholesale slaughter upon the booths will begin on Monday night. With but three more nights to run, the articles which have been held at proper prices during the two weeks of the fair will be "cut loose" and lucky will be the man who attends the fair with a few spare dollars in his pockets and an eye for good things. The management says that much will go and much will be means. It is said that many novel ideas will be advanced in getting rid of these various articles to the best advantage of the temple fund, and also to the customer.

Yesterday, the last matinee of the fair was given. There was a steady stream of visitors all the afternoon, mostly boys and girls, who viewed by day what their elders seemed so intent on seeing at night. The orphan inmates of the Bell Home were the guests of the board of control at yesterday's matinee, and in addition to visiting the museum, viewing the moving pictures, the fantastic cake walkers, and Tina, the midwife, were treated to candy, peanuts, pop-corn, and ice cream.

The cash contributions committee keeps busy and reported last night the following cash contributions: Miss Emma McDonnell, Joseph W. Buck, J.

## JEROME LEAVES WITH STATEMENTS

NEW YORK, April 27.—District Attorney Jerome this evening started for his country home in Lakewood, Conn., with full statements from both William Douglas and Oliver M. Bennett, the first charged with the peculation of nearly half a million dollars in bonds from the Trust Company of America, and the latter with receiving the bonds. When he returns to town Monday morning sensational developments are confidently expected.

## LONDON EXCHANGE LACKED INTEREST

LONDON, April 27.—Trading on the Stock Exchange was dull and uninteresting. The selling of consols caused a sagging of gilt-edge securities generally. Foreigners scarcely moved. Japanese 6's of 1901 closed at 104 unchanged; Americans were idle. Prices moved to fractional above parity level and the market closed dull with an advance of several points today. Discounts were firm on the weakness of Paris exchange indicating possible competition for gold on Monday.

## ROBBED BY NEGROES. RUN OVER BY TRAIN

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 27.—Beaten into unconsciousness and laid on a railroad track, where a locomotive ran over him, cutting off both legs and one arm, Frank Driska, forty-two years old, an employee of the Pressed Steel Car Company, is dying at the Allegheny General Hospital.

Driska said he had come to Pittsburgh to collect some money, and while crossing the tracks of the West Penn division of the Pennsylvania railroad, in Allegheny, on his way home, he was set upon by three negroes. He said he knew nothing more until roused by the locomotive crushing his limbs.

P. Germuller, J. F. O'Donohue & Sons, Fred G. McKean, and Alfred B. Dent, Stock of the temple association to the amount of \$50 was subscribed to by John H. McGruder.

E. C. Small, of New York, an active member of the fraternity, who has shown an intense interest in the fair and its object, has secured a number of gifts which he has turned over to his brother, J. Henry Small, Jr., and they are now on display in the booths of Washington Centennial Lodge and Columbia Commandery. Those who contributed include a number of New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, and Washington firms.

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**OLD STATUES ARE UNEARTHED.** CAIRO, April 27.—Some remarkable archaeological discoveries have just been made by the Clermont-Ganneau Mission at Assuan. A few days ago two fine statues of the time of Thothmes III, which were covered with inscriptions, were unearthed.



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